Information regarding the reviews by the State Review Committees is not Centrally maintained by the Government of India.

(b) and (c) As 'Public Order and Police' are State subjects, review of cases of Police Officers in jail or those facing trial for anti-terrorist operations, if any, is the concern of the State Governments.

Rehabilitation Scheme of Tehri Town

†*373. SHRI MANOHAR KANT DHYANI: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that due to different viewpoints of Government and the affected parties with regard to estimated cost of rehabilitation schemes of Tehri town and submerged rural areas and demand for a fresh package for this purpose, this work has been postponed for an indefinite period from October 15, 2000;

(b) whether the then Government of Uttar Pradesh had sent any package proposal with enhanced amount to Central Government; and

(c) if so, reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SURESH PRABHU) : (a) to (c) The construction activities of Tehri Hydroelectric Project Stage-I (1000 MW) being implemented by Tehri Hydro Development Corporation (THDC) are in advance stage. In view of the commissioning schedule of December, 2002, vacation of Old Tehri Town has become imperative to enable closure of Diversion Tunnels T-3 and T-4 to start the construction activities of Stilling Basin of Spillway for which about 18 months would be required.

Accordingly, the matter was taken up with the Government of Uttar Pradesh (GOUP). In pursuance to the decision taken by the GOUP on 15.11.1999, the gates of one Tunnel (T-4) were closed in November, 1999, the decision to close Tunnel T-3 was deferred. As no work on Stilling Basin was possible with the closure of only one

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Tunnel, The gates already lowered for Tunnel T-4 were removed. On 1.6.2000, GOUP took a decision to close the gates of Tunnel-3 by 15th October, 2000.

As the New State of Uttaranchal was in the offing, the closure of Tunnel T-3 & T-4 was deferred as it would be appropriate for the new State Government of Uttaranchal to implement major decision of shifting of population of Old Tehri Town and closure of Tunnel T-3 & T-4. Accordingly, the matter was taken up with Uttaranchal Government who indicated that it would be possible to close the diversion tunnels and requested for the additional rehabilitation package earlier proposed by Government of Uttar Pradesh. The Central Government has agreed in principle for additional rehabilitation package amounting to Rs.12.49 crores for the residents of Old Tehri Town.

In addition, a request has been made by the Government of Uttaranchal for infrastructural facilities for rural areas beyond submergence. This does not come under the frame work of the Rehabilitation & Resettlement, nor forms part of the Hanumantha Rao Committee's recommendations on rehabilitation.

Case against M/s Perutek Services Ltd.

*374. SHRI SURYABHAN PATIL VAHADANE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that M/s Perutek Services Ltd., a New Delhi based NBFC and cheated many investors of their hard-earned money, by attracting investments from them and whether it is also a fact that a case has been lodged with the Delhi Police (FIR No. 851/98) against the said Company;

(b) whether Government are also aware that Directors of the said Company were apprehended/arrested about a year ago; and

(c) if so, the efforts made/being made by Police officials to trace the huge public money so locked-up with the Company and return the same to the respective investors and by when the same would be done?